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For : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PARSING TEXT USING MUTUAL INFORMATION	Examiner: Abebe, Daniel D.
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AMENDMENT AFTER APPEAL

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

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This is in response to the Decision on Appeal of July 9, 2008, in which the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences affirmed-in-part the Final Rejection of July 25, 2005. In particular, the Board affirmed the rejections of claims 1-3, 6, 8, 10, 12-19, 21 and 22 and did not sustain the rejections of claims 5 and 7. Please amend the application as follows to take the allowable subject matter of dependent claims 5 and 7.